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REMARKS/ELECTION OF SPECIES

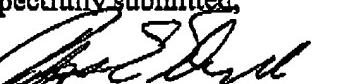
In response to the election requirement, Applicant hereby elects the Species of claims 4, 12 and 20 without traverse. Claims 4, 12 and 20, and new claims 25-30, which include the limitations of claim 4, read on the elected species.

Applicant's election is made without prejudice. Applicant notes that the election requirement did not include any species that includes claims 2, 3, 8, 10, 11, 16, 18, 19 or 24, and so it is expected that these claims will also be examined.

An action on the merits of all the claims and a Notice of Allowance thereof are respectfully requested.

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